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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for National Foreign Assessment  
FROM: Director of Central Intelligence  
SUBJECT: Intelligence Community Breakfasts

1. I have gained a good deal from the weekly breakfast we have been having with the Community leaders on SALT. Their substantive contributions have been very helpful.

2. I am considering stepping up the frequency of those breakfasts to biweekly, but only if we can have an agenda that is at least partially substantive intelligence rather than just procedural matters. Would you give thought to whether we can pick a topic or two to circulate before our breakfast on the 26th. Hopefully we would get something where we could anticipate differences of viewpoints within the Community on interpretation of intelligence data or topics that are long enough range and of such basic importance that interpreting their importance to our foreign policy is bound to bring out differing outlooks.

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